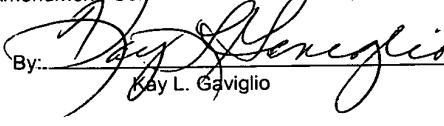




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PATENT
Docket No. GC 278-C3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Bott et al.) Group Art Unit: 1652
Serial No. 09/955,555) Examiner: Hutson, Richard
Filed: September 17, 2001)
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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action
dated April 8, 2003:

one month to _____; the extension fee is \$110.00.
two months to _____; the extension fee is \$420.00.
three months to October 8, 2003; the extension fee is \$950.00.
four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,480.00.
five months to _____; the extension fee is \$2,010.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

- [] The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action
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[X] Charge \$950.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC278-C3). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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